



# News Release

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## **Molestation charges lead to revocation of nursing assistant's credentials**

*Olympia area nursing assistant loses credentials permanently*

**OLYMPIA** — The credentials of an Olympia area nursing assistant accused of sexually molesting two minor females have been permanently revoked by the state Department of Health.

Spencer K. Woodruff (NA60065880, NC60168644) cannot practice as a nursing assistant in Washington; he cannot have the credentials reinstated. Woodruff also allegedly had sexual contact with two patients at a health care center where he worked.

Last December, the Department of Health immediately suspended Woodruff's nursing assistant credentials. He didn't respond to the allegations or request a hearing.

Legal documents in this case are online; click the link to "Provider Credential Search" on the [agency home page](#) ([www.doh.wa.gov](http://www.doh.wa.gov)). They're also available by calling 360-236-4700.

The Department of Health protects and promotes public health, safety, and welfare in Washington by regulating the competency and quality of nursing assistants. Rules, policies, and procedures promote the delivery of quality health care to state residents.

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